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From: Linda Grassie@OM
Originated by: Lyn Goossens <oco2@cfsan.fda.gov>
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Subject: fwd: RE:chad/antibiodics use in beef cattle
Attachment:
Date: 5/25/99 11:39 AM

Please respond. Thanks.

Original text

From: "Lyn Goossens" <oco2@cfsan.fda.gov>, on 5/25/99 11:36 AM:
To: ISMTP@FDA-OC-TRAINING@FDAOC[<chad@employee.org>]

Chad employee organization:

Thank you for your comments, I am forwarding them on to the Center for Veterinary Medicine.

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Gilliam, Tina [mailto:TGILLIAM@OC.FDA.GOV] On Behalf Of Webmail
> Sent: Wednesday, March 10, 1999 9:23 AM
> To: 'CVM'; 'Foods'
> Subject: FW: antibiotics use in beef cattle

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> > -----Original Message-----
> > From: chad@employee.org [SMTP:chad@employee.org]
> > Sent: Tuesday, March 09, 1999 7:39 PM
> > To: Wmail@test.oc.fda.gov
> > Subject: antibiotics use in beef cattle

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> > Please, please, please,
> > do not continue to give antibiotics to food-source
> animals, that
> > are used in humans to treat disease. It doesn't take a
> government study
> > to assume that the bacteria will "learn" how to build
> immunity to the

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> > medication. This has been proven before. Bacteria do
->."learn" what to
> > do to survive.
> > Change the ruling to only allow animal medications
> to be used on
> > food source animals. Please keep the human use medications
> for use on
> > humans only. We are not guaranteed a winning situation with their
> > powers being diminished by being used across species lines.
> > Do you think in the future that giving the animals
> antibiotics
> > would help us, or would it hurt us? If we do give them
> antibiotics it
> > will only make the bacteria stronger not weaker. Plus it
> might not even
> > kill the bacteria.
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-Garrett Cook